

# Featured MCRPA Spotlight Member – November 2016



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1. **What is your role at Montgomery College?**

I am the Program Operations Coordinator for the International and Multicultural Student Center at the Takoma Park/Silver Spring campus. I create programs that provide co-curricular and cultural support to our immigrant and F1-Visa student population. These programs also help to build bridges of understanding between our faculty, students, and staff who come from many different backgrounds.

2. **How long have you been in the field?**

I've been working in multicultural education & training for 17 years and working in student services in higher education for 13 yrs.

3. **How long have you been at Montgomery College?**

I joined the college in 2005 where I started in the Assessment Center. In 2006, I moved to the Counseling Department. By 2012 I became the International Student Specialist and I started my current position in 2015.

4. **What are some of your hobbies?**

I love traveling, dancing, attending festivals, Toastmasters, and going on culinary adventures, even if it's just baking/cooking in my own kitchen.

5. **What would be your ideal dream vacation?**

My ideal vacation would be a trip around the world that would allow me to experience a variety of places, people, and cultures in 90 days. I think I could fit all the places I've ever wanted to go into that time period.

6. **What is the first thing you would buy if you won the lottery?**

It's more about what I'd do than what I'd buy... If it's a huge jackpot, I'd pay off some debts for my loved ones. Then I'd think about taking that trip I've wanted to take for so long.

7. **What's your favorite childhood memory?**

Visiting my grandparents in France and Japan. I visited relatives, ate great food, and traveled.

8. **What was the last movie you watched? How many stars would you give it if you were a Movie Critic?**

"Father Joseph"- a documentary that details the life of a Haitian priest who helps the poor people in his country by establishing a university, radio station, banks, and other important services in their village.

9. **What was the last sport or music concert event you attended?**

Kenny Lattimore at the Bethesda Blues & Jazz Supper Club.

10. **If you could get a second chance for a "dream job", would you still be doing what you're doing right now or is there another job you would love to have?**

I enjoy doing the job that I do right now. For the future, I'd like to serve in a role where I can assist the college in fulfilling its mission while making use of my entrepreneurial and public speaking skills.